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1. CHARGE AND ECON OFF, IN MEETING WITH GOVERNOR AND
DEPUTY GOVERNOR OF BANK OF SUDAN 26 JULY (REFS C AND D)
RAISED QUESTION OF CONSULTATIVE GROUP FOR THE SUDAN. CHARGE
NOTED BY JQQLFUIW WAIRI#AND FIN MINISTER HAD BOTH GIVEN
THEIR SUPPORT TO U.S. INITIATIVE TO RECONSTITUTE NOW DORMANT
CONSULTATIVE GROUP. BOTH GOV AND DEP GOV ADDED THEIR SUPPORT.
THEY HAD NO DIFFICULTY WITH THE IMF OR IBRD CHAIRING SUCH
A GROUP.

2. DEP GOV EXPRESSED THE HOPE THAT THE NEW GROUP, RATHER
THAN FOCUSING ON PROJECT ASSISTANCE AND OUTSTANDING DEBTS,
WOULD INSTEAD CONSIDER THE OVERALL BOP SITUATION AND THE
ROLE THAT DEBT RELIEF WOULD PLAY AS PART OF A TOTAL
ASSISTANCE PACKAGE. CHARGE INDICATED THAT U.S. PROPOSAL
ENVISAGED THIS BROADER MACRO-ECONOMIC MANDATE FOR THE
CONSULTATIVE GROUP.

3. BEGIN UNCLASSIFIED. WE NOTE FROM SUDAN NEWS AGENCY JULY
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30 EDITION THAT FIN MIN MET WITH ASST DIRECTOR GENERAL OF
THE IMF IN WASHINGTON. ACCORDING TO SUNA, POSSIBILITY OF
RECONVENING THE INTERNATIONAL CONSULTATIVE GROUP IN LATE
AUGUST WAS A TOPIC OF DISCUSSION. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE
DEPT EFFORTS TO OBTAIN A READ-OUT ON THIS MEETING, ESPECIALLY
IF ACTION IS EXPECTED WITHIN A MONTH. END UNCLASSIFIED.
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